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## **AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

January 25, 2002

Sir:

The following Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the final Office Action issued October 25, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please replace claims 2, 3, 10 and 11 with the following amended claims.

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2. A novel polypeptide having an amino acid sequence of natural human Fas ligand wherein the 129<sup>th</sup> amino acid and 130<sup>th</sup> amino acid residues as measured from N terminal end are both deleted or substituted, and at least one amino acid residue from 111<sup>th</sup> amino acid to 128<sup>th</sup> amino acid residues or at least one amino acid residue from 131<sup>st</sup> amino acid to 133<sup>rd</sup> amino acid residues as measured from N terminal end is deleted or substituted.



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